* IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: Elisa Bruce

Serial No.:09/819,975

Filed: March 29, 2001

FOR: DECISION DYNAMICS



ATTN: BOX MISSING PARTS

Group Art Unit: Not Yet Assigned

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

July 18, 2001

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Corrected Application dated May 18, 2001, enclosed for filing are the (28 pages) of substitute drawings for the above-identified patent application.

In the event that any additional fees are due with this paper, please charge Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

In the event that this response is not timely filed, applicants hereby petition for an appropriate extension of time. The fees for any such extension may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

Respectfully submitted,

ARMSTRONG, WESTERMAN, HATTORI, McLELAND & NAUGHTON, LLP

William G. Kratz, Jr. Ry No. 32,87 \ Attorney for Applicant

Reg. No. 22,631

Atty. Docket No. 000108A 1725 K Street, N.W., Suite 1000

Washington, DC 20006 Tel: (202) 659-2930 Fax: (202) 887-0357

WGK/srb



COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

APPLICATION NUMBER

FILING/RECEIPT DATE

FIRST NAMED APPLICANT

ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER

09/819,975

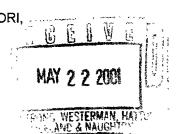
03/29/2001

Elisa M. Bruce

000108A

23850 ARMSTRONG, WESTERMAN, HATTORI

MCLELAND & NAUGHTON, LLP 1725 K STREET, NW, SUITE 1000 WASHINGTON, DC 20006



CONFIRMATION NO. 3700

FORMALITIES LETTER

Date Mailed: 05/18/2001

NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Filing Date Granted

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.

Customer Service Center

Initial Patent Examination Division (703) 308-1202

PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE